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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Reissue Application of: Michael A. Waters

Michael II. Waters

Serial No.: 08/997,879

Filed: December 24, 1997

U.S. Patent No. 5,477,812

For: AUTOMATED SELF-CLEANING

LITTER BOX FOR CATS

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## REQUEST FOR CORRECTION OF TITLE

Dear Sir:

Applicant received a Notice of Allowance in the present application (dated September 7, 1999). The Notice of Allowance lists "AUTOMATED SELF-CLEANING LITTER" as the Title of the Invention. This Title is incorrect. Applicant respectfully requests that the Title be corrected to --AUTOMATED SELF-CLEANING LITTER BOX FOR CATS--.

Applicants additionally request that all pertinent U.S. Patent and Trademark Office records relating to the subject application be changed to reflect this correction.

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It is believed that no fees should be required. However, should any fees be required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to our Deposit Account No. 04-1073, under Order No. w5020.0128/P128, for which purpose this Request is submitted in duplicate.

Dated: October 4, 1999

Respectfully submitted,

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## REQUEST TO TRANSFER FORMAL DRAWINGS TO REISSUE APPLICATION

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.174(a) and M.P.E.P. § 1413, Applicant hereby requests that the formal patent drawings filed with the PTO for U.S. Patent No. 5,477,812 (application serial no. 08/371,782), be transferred to the present reissue application.

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No drawing amendments have been made in the present reissue application and thus, transfer from U.S. Patent No. 5,477,812 is solicited.

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